GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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SUPPLY OF CNG FOR MOTOR VEHICLES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the States in which CNG is being made available for motor vehicles;

(b) the agency supplying such Compressed Natural Gas fuel;

(c) whether the supply is inadequate to meet the demand;

(d) if so, the bottlenecks involved therein; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to ensure availability of CNG throughout the country?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (Sh.Santosh Kumar Gangwar)

(a) CNG is presently available in the states of Maharashtra, Delhi and Gujarat.

(b) Mumbai - Mahanagar Gas Ltd.
Delhi - Indraprastha Gas Ltd.
Vadodra - Gas Authority of India Ltd.
Surat - Gujarat Gas Company
Ankleshwar - Gujarat Gas Company

(c) & (d): Presently supply of CNG in Mumbai, Delhi and Vadodara is adequate to meet the demand.

(e): Due to logistic, operational and supply constraints, it is not feasible to make CNG available throughout the country.